



**IMPORTANT INFORMATION**  
**REGARDING A SPECIAL PERMIT TO HUNT**

*This information is issued under the authority of Act 451 P.A. 1994 as amended.*

The Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) is pleased to provide disabled hunters the opportunity to pursue the hunting tradition through the special *Hunt From a Standing Vehicle Permit* and *Hunt With a Modified Bow Permit*, established by state law.

Enclosed is an application that may be used for either of these permits. However, before applying, please take a few minutes to review the qualifications for these permits. Although persons may have disabilities of many different types, the minimum qualifications established by law for these permits are as follows:

**Standing Vehicle Permit**

- A person unable to walk due to being a paraplegic or an amputee
- A person permanently disabled and unable to walk due to other disease or injury

**Modified Bow Permit**

- A permanently disabled person who has full use of only one arm and is unable to hold, aim and shoot a bow or compound bow

Persons not meeting these minimum qualifications cannot be issued a permit. Careful review of these qualifications can save you valuable time.

If you meet the minimum qualifications, please complete the upper portion of the application fully, being careful to include your Michigan driver's license number, or Michigan ID Card number if you do not have a Michigan driver's license but are a resident of Michigan. With your support and this information, we may be able to include special permit endorsements right onto your Michigan hunting license purchases in the future and eliminate your need to carry a separate special permit card. Be sure to check the type of permit you are applying for, and describe your disability or handicap fully. When describing your handicap, please keep in mind the above minimum qualifications.

Once you complete the application, send it to the DNR office listed for your county. A complete listing of DNR offices, along with their telephone numbers if you have questions, is printed on the back of the form. A conservation officer will then schedule an interview to determine if the minimum qualifications are met. Eligible applicants are sent a permit by mail.

We appreciate this opportunity to be of service.

**APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL PERMIT TO HUNT***This information is required under the authority of Act 451 P.A. 1994, as amended, for permit consideration.***Section 1 - To be completed by Applicant**

Name		Michigan Driver License No (If None, Michigan ID Card No.)			
Street Address		Height	Weight	Telephone (     )	
City	State	Zip	Hair Color	Eye Color	Sex     Date of Birth

Please indicate the type of permit you are applying for: (check appropriate box)

☐ **PERMIT TO TAKE GAME FROM A STANDING VEHICLE***Excerpt from Sec. 40114(1), Act 451, P.A. 1994.*

(1) The department may issue a permit to a person who is unable to walk due to being a paraplegic or an amputee, or being permanently disabled and unable to walk because of other disease or injury. A permit issued under this subsection authorizes the person to take game during the open season for that game, including deer of either sex, from or upon a standing vehicle if that person holds a license to take that game issued pursuant to part 435 and complies with all other laws and rules for the taking of game.

☐ **PERMIT TO TAKE GAME WITH A MODIFIED BOW (CANNOT BE A CROSSBOW)***Excerpt from Sec. 40114(2), Act 451, P.A. 1994.*

(2) The department may issue a permit to a person who is permanently disabled and who has full use of only 1 arm and who upon investigation is unable to hold, aim, and shoot a bow. A permit issued under this subsection authorizes the person to take game during the open season for that game with a bow that has been modified so that the bow may be held, aimed, and shot with 1 arm, if that person holds a license to take that game issued pursuant to part 435 and complies with all other laws and rules for the taking of game.

Describe your disability or handicap.

*I have read and understand this application. If a permit is issued, I agree to the terms and conditions as stated on this application.*

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**SUBMIT THIS COMPLETED APPLICATION TO THE DNR OFFICE FOR YOUR COUNTY**  
**(See reverse side for DNR office locations.)**

A Michigan DNR Conservation Officer will schedule an interview with you to determine if you meet the eligibility requirements of law. Eligible applicants will be issued a permit card through the mail.

**Section 2 - FOR CONSERVATION OFFICER USE ONLY****INVESTIGATIVE REPORT:** (check one)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant is amputee (loss of both lower limbs)                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant is able to walk   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant is paraplegic (paralysis of both lower limbs)          | <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant is not permanently disabled   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant is a permanently disabled person who is unable to walk | <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant is permanently disabled and has full use of only one arm and is unable to hold, aim, and shoot a bow unless it is modified. |

**OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION**☐ APPLICATION DISAPPROVED☐ APPLICATION APPROVED

Permit No: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:

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Conservation Officer (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

District Law Supervisor (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DISTRICT LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICES AND COUNTIES UNDER DISTRICT JURISDICTION

IF YOU LIVE IN:		SEND YOUR APPLICATION TO:	IF YOU LIVE IN:		SEND YOUR APPLICATION TO:
Baraga Delta Dickinson Gogebic Houghton	Iron Keweenaw Menominee Ontonagon	<b>DISTRICT 3</b> LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION CRYSTAL FALLS FIELD OFFICE MICHIGAN DEPT OF NATURAL RESOURCES 1420 US-2 WEST CRYSTAL FALLS MI 49920 Telephone: 906-875-6622	Arenac Bay Gratiot Huron Isabella	Midland Saginaw Sanilac Tuscola	<b>DISTRICT 8</b> LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION BAY CITY OPERATIONS SERVICE CENTER MICHIGAN DEPT OF NATURAL RESOURCES 503 NORTH EUCLID AVE, SUITE 1 BAY CITY MI 48706 Telephone: 989-684-9141
Alger Chippewa Luce	Mackinac Marquette Schoolcraft	<b>DISTRICT 4</b> LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION NEWBERRY OPERATIONS SERVICE CENTER MICHIGAN DEPT OF NATURAL RESOURCES 5100 STATE HWY M-123 NEWBERRY MI 49868 Telephone: 906-293-5131	Ionia Kent Mecosta Montcalm Muskegon	Newaygo Oceana Ottawa	<b>DISTRICT 9</b> LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION MUSKEGON FIELD OFFICE MICHIGAN DEPT OF NATURAL RESOURCES 7550 E MESSINGER RD TWIN LAKE MI 49457 Telephone: 231-788-1134
Alpena Antrim Charlevoix Cheboygan Emmet	Montmorency Otsego Presque Isle	<b>DISTRICT 5</b> LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION GAYLORD OPERATIONS SERVICE CENTER MICHIGAN DEPT OF NATURAL RESOURCES 1732 WEST M-32 GAYLORD MI 49735 Telephone: 989-732-3541	Lapeer Macomb Monroe	Oakland St. Clair Wayne	<b>DISTRICT 10</b> LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION SOUTHFIELD OPERATIONS SERVICE CENTER MICHIGAN DEPT OF NATURAL RESOURCES 26000 WEST EIGHT MILE ROAD SOUTHFIELD MI 48034 Telephone: 248-359-9040
Benzie Grand Traverse Kalkaska Lake Leelanau	Manistee Mason Missaukee Osceola Wexford	<b>DISTRICT 6</b> LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION CADILLAC OPERATIONS SERVICE CENTER MICHIGAN DEPT OF NATURAL RESOURCES 8015 MACKINAW TRAIL CADILLAC MI 49601 Telephone: 231-775-9727	Clinton Eaton Genesee Hillsdale Ingham	Jackson Lenawee Livingston Shiawassee Washtenaw	<b>DISTRICT 11</b> LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION ROSE LAKE FIELD OFFICE MICHIGAN DEPT OF NATURAL RESOURCES 8562 EAST STOLL ROAD EAST LANSING MI 48823 Telephone: 517-641-4903
Alcona Clare Crawford Gladwin	Iosco Ogemaw Oscoda Roscommon	<b>DISTRICT 7</b> LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION ROSCOMMON OPERATIONS SERVICE CENTER MICHIGAN DEPT OF NATURAL RESOURCES 8717 NORTH ROSCOMMON ROAD ROSCOMMON MI 48653 Telephone: 989-275-5151	Allegan Barry Berrien Branch Calhoun	Cass Kalamazoo St. Joseph Van Buren	<b>DISTRICT 12</b> LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION PLAINWELL OPERATIONS SERVICE CENTER MICHIGAN DEPT OF NATURAL RESOURCES 621 NORTH 10 <sup>TH</sup> STREET PLAINWELL MI 49080-1004 Telephone: 269-685-6851

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

**LIABILITY.** Grantee hereby releases, waives, discharges and covenants not to sue the State of Michigan, its departments, officers, employees and agents, from any and all liability to Grantee, its officers, employees and agents, for all losses, injury, death or damage, and any claims or demands thereto, on account of injury to person or property, or resulting in death of Grantee, its officers, employees or agents, in reference to the activities authorized by this permit.

**INDEMNIFICATION.** Grantee hereby covenants and agrees to indemnify and save harmless, the State of Michigan, its departments, officers, employees and agents, from any and all claims and demands, for all loss, injury, death or damage, that any person or entity may have or make, in any manner, arising out of any occurrence related to (1) issuance of this permit; (2) the activities authorized by this permit; and (3) the use or occupancy of the premises which are the subject of this permit by the Grantee, its employees, contractors, or its authorized representatives.